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For : ALLOYS FROM RECYCLED ALUMINUM SCRAP CONTAINING HIGH
LEVELS OF IRON AND SILICON

REPLY TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

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S I R:

In response to the Office Action dated January 16, 2007, requiring restriction of the above-identified application to one of four identified inventions, applicants hereby elect Invention IV (claims 9 - 13), aluminum alloy with high Mg.

This election is made without traverse, but without prejudice to the prosecution of claims to the nonelected inventions in one or more divisional applications

Respectfully,

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